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## RESPONSE TO NOTICE REGARDING DRAWINGS

Mail Stop Issue Fee Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant has received a Notice Regarding Drawings dated June 28, 2006, in the subject application. A reply to the Notice Regarding Drawings ("Notice") is due by August 28, 2006, two months from the date the Notice was mailed. Accordingly, this paper is timely-filed.

The Notice transmitted a Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) stating that certain drawings submitted on May 4, 2000, were damaged by mishandling, and requested replacement copies of Figs. 1, 3b, 4 and 7.

The undersigned has reviewed the drawings filed on May 4, 2000. Portions of Figs. 1, 3(b), 4 and 7(a-e) are cut off, apparently because of Patent and Trademark Office scanning errors.

Applicant submits herewith undamaged replacement copies of Figs. 1, 4, 3(b) and 7(a-e). These drawings are identical to those previously submitted, and so no issues of new matter have been raised.

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Favorable reconsideration and entry of these replacement drawings is respectfully requested.

No fees are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this paper. If, however, the Commissioner deems any fee(s) to be now or hereafter due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge all such fees to Deposit Account No. 19-4709.

In the event there are any questions, please contact Applicant's undersigned attorney by telephone at the number given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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